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**Title: METHOD OF NONINVASIVELY OBTAINING
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APPLICATION ELEMENTS:

- (X) Specification in 52 pages.
 - (X) Drawings in 14 sheets.
 - (X) Declaration by Inventors in 3 pages.
 - (X) Copy from parent application
 - (X) Incorporation by Reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
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 - (X) Group Art Unit of prior application: 1651

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CONTINUITY INFORMATION:

Application	Relationship	Parent App. No.	Filing Date	Status
This Application	Continuation of	10/072,539	02/08/02	Pending
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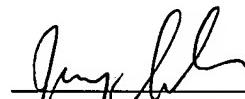
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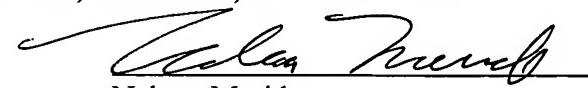
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